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4340 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, SUITE A-23				
	(No	and Street)		
SAN RAFAEL	CA	LIFORNIA		94903
(City)		(State)	(Zip Cod	le)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PER JAMES H. WILLIAMS	RSON TO C	ONTACT IN REGARD TO	(41.	5) 492–8975 Code – Telephone Number)
B. ACCO	DUNTANI	IDENTIFICATION		
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT wh	ose opinion	is contained in this Report*	P	PROCESSED MAR 1 1 2009
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*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, JAMES H. WILLIAMS, swear (or affirm) that,	to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the fi	
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of	
neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in a	any account
classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:	
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NOTARY PUBLIC • CALIFORNIA & Signature	
MARIN COUNTY	
Comm. Exp. JAN. 23, 2011 PRESIDENT	
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(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.	
(g) Computation of Net Capital.	
(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.	
(i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.	
(i) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c.	3-1 and the
Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.	J-1 and the
(k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect t	a methods of
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(1) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(n) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
(n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the	

^{**}For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

#### CLARIDAD & CROWE

Certified Public Accountants
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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors JHW Financial Services, Inc. dba Financial Telesis, Inc. San Rafael, California

We have audited the statement of financial condition of JHW Financial Services, Inc., dba Financial Telesis, Inc. (a California corporation) as of December 31, 2008, and the related statements of operations, changes in stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of JHW Financial Services, Inc. dba Financial Telesis, Inc. as of December 31, 2008, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained on pages 11 through 14 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not part of the basic financial statements. The additional information is required by Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material aspects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole, and in conformity with the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

#### December 31, 2008

#### **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents Deposits with clearing brokers Accounts receivable Other current assets Equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$ 69,417	\$  389,784 125,111 59,301 58,214 41,223 673,633
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable Commissions payable Due to clearing broker  Total liabilities	\$ 39,046 288,303 8,520 335,869
Stockholder's equity	
Common stock, no par value, 10,000 shares authorized, 5,000 shares issued and outstanding Additional paid in capital Retained earnings  Total stockholder's equity	 5,000 29,869 302,895 337,764
Total Stockholder S equity	 <i>551</i> ,704

\$ 673,633

#### STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

#### For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

#### **REVENUES**

Commissions	\$ 22,705,370
Fee income	848,793
Consulting income	259,175
Other income	1,874
EXPENSES	23,815,212
Compensation	688,053
Commissions	22,424,782
Clearing fees	16,513
Professional fees	60,259
Regulatory fees	13,302
Other operating expenses	188,278
	23,391,187
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	424,025
INCOME TAXES	13,867
NET INCOME	<u>\$ 410,158</u>

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

#### For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

	C =	on Stools	Additional Paid-in	Retained	
	No.	on Stock <u>Amount</u>	<u>Capital</u>	Earnings	<u>Total</u>
Balance, December 31, 2007	5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 29,869	\$ 320,057	\$ 354,926
Distributions paid				(427,320)	(427,320)
Net income		<del></del>	<del></del>	410,158	410,158
Balance, December 31, 2008	5,000	<u>\$ 5,000</u>	<u>\$ 29,869</u>	<u>\$ 302,895</u>	<u>\$ 337,764</u>

#### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

#### For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

#### CASH FLOWS FROM OPERTING ACTIVITIES

Net income		\$	410,158
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net			
cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation			12,400
Change in assets and liabilities:			
(Increase) decrease:			
Accounts receivable	•		20,509
Deposits with clearing brokers			(125,111)
Other current assets			(8,234)
Increase (decrease):			, , ,
Accounts payable			15,546
Commissions payable			15,578
Due to clearing broker			8,520
Deferred revenue			(4,800)
Income taxes payable			(947)
Net adjustments			(66,539)
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Net cash provided by operating activities		_	<u>343,619</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVIT	IES		
Cash payments for purchase of equipment			(30,870)
Net cash used by investing activities		_	(30,870)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVIT	TES		
Distributions paid		_(	427,320)
Net cash used by financing activities		(-	<u>427,320</u> )
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NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUI	IVALENTS	(	114,571)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINN	ING OF YEAR		504 <u>,355</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF	YEAR	<u>\$</u> 3	<u>389,784</u>
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF CASH Cash paid during the year for:	Income taxes	\$ \$	13,867 0

See notes to financial statements.

# JHW FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. dba FINANCIAL TELESIS, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

#### NOTE A – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### <u>General</u>

JHW Financial Services, Inc., dba Financial Telesis, Inc. (the Company), a California corporation was incorporated on June 26, 1992, and registered as a broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in December 1992. The Company commenced securities transactions in January, 1993. The Company engages primarily in the brokerage of mutual funds and other investment company products.

#### Accounting

These financial statements are prepared using the accrual method of accounting.

#### Statement of Cash Flows

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

#### Regulatory Requirements

The Company is exempt from the requirements of Rule 15c3-3 pursuant to the rules for broker-dealers who clear all customer transactions through another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.

#### Securities Transactions

Commission revenues are related to mutual fund transactions and are recorded on the trade date basis.

#### Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Accounts Receivable

No allowance for uncollectible accounts receivable has been recorded as all receivables are deemed collectible by management as of December 31, 2008.

# JHW FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. dba FINANCIAL TELESIS, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

#### NOTE A – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### **Equipment**

Equipment is recorded at cost. Maintenance and repairs are expensed as incurred. Depreciation is computed using the straight line method over the estimated useful life (5 years) of the asset. The Organization's policy is to capitalize furniture and equipment purchases greater than \$500.

#### Income Taxes

Commencing in 1995, the Company, with the consent of its shareholder, elected under the Internal Revenue Code to be an S corporation. In lieu of corporation income taxes, the shareholder of an S corporation is taxed on his proportionate share of the Company's taxable income. Therefore, no provision or liability for federal income taxes has been included in the financial statements. The provision shown is for state income taxes.

#### NOTE B - Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Company's receivables are predominantly from the Company's registered representatives and consulting clients.

The Company maintains cash balances at two financial institutions. Accounts at the institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2008, the Company's uninsured cash balances totaled \$159,450.

#### NOTE C – Employee Benefit Plan

The Company has a qualified 401(k) plan which covers substantially all employees meeting certain eligibility requirements. Participants may contribute a portion of their compensation to the plan, up to the maximum amount permitted under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code. At the Company's discretion, it can match a portion of the participants' contributions. For 2008, the Company's matching contribution was \$48,082.

#### JHW FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

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### FINANCIAL TELESIS, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

#### NOTE D – Lease Commitments

Minimum lease payments under a non-cancelable operating lease for the Company's office which expires April 30, 2010, are:

2009	\$ 41,500
2010	
2008	\$ 55.500

Lease payments aggregating \$34,676 are included in other operating expenses in the statement of operations.

#### NOTE E - Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1) which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital, and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. As of December 31, 2008 the Company's net capital is \$178,916, which is \$156,524, in excess of the minimum amounts required. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital at December 31, 2008, was 1.88 to 1.0. The rule provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn, subordinated debt may not be repaid and cash dividends may not be paid if the resulting net capital would be less than the amounts required under the rule.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### JHW FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

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## FINANCIAL TELESIS, INC. COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL December 31, 2008

NET CAPITAL Stockholder's equity Less nonallowable assets: Accounts receivable Deposits with clearing broker Other current assets Equipment, net	\$ 337,764 (59,301) (111) (41,223) (58,214)
Total nonallowable assets	(158,849)
NET CAPITAL	<u>\$ 178,915</u>
AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS Items included in statement of financial condition: Accounts payable Commissions payable Due to clearing broker	\$ 39,046 288,303 8,520 \$ 335,869
COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS Minimum net capital requirement (6-2/3 % of aggregate indebtedness)(\$5,000 minimum)	<u>\$ 22,391</u>
Net capital in excess of minimum requirement	<u>\$ 156,524</u>
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	<u>1.88 to 1</u>
RECONCILIATION WITH COMPANY'S COMPUTATION (Included in Part II of Form X-17A-5 as of December 31)	
Net capital, as reported in Company's Part II (unaudited) FOCUS report Rounding	\$ 178,914 1
Net capital as reported herein	<u>\$ 178,915</u>
Aggregate indebtedness as reported in Company's Part II (unaudited) FOCUS report Rounding	\$ 335,870 (1)
Aggregate indebtedness, as reported herein	<u>\$ 335,869</u>

## COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-3

**December 31, 2008** 

An exception from Rule 15c3-3 is claimed, based on section (k)(2)(ii). All customer transactions are processed in accordance with Rule 15c-1(a)(2).

## INFORMATION FOR POSSESSION OR CONTROL REQUIREMENTS UNDER RULE 15c3-3

**December 31, 2008** 

An exception from Rule 15c3-3 is claimed, based on section (k)(2)(ii).

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February 4, 2009

To the Board of Directors JHW Financial Services, Inc. dba Financial Telesis, Inc. San Rafael, California

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of JHW Financial Services, Inc., dba Financial Telesis, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2008 in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our audit procedures for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g), in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-5(g)(11) and the procedures for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following: (1) making the quarterly securities examinations, counts verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13; (2) complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining a system of internal accounting control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of control procedures and of the practices and procedures as referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the commission's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

To the Board of Directors JHW Financial Services, Inc. dba Financial Telesis, Inc. February 4, 2009 Page Two

Because of inherent limitations in any system of internal accounting control of the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities may nevertheless occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of the system to future periods is subject to the risk that procedures may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the Commission to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2008, to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management and the Securities and Exchange Commission and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17 a-5(g) under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties..

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